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FALL PASTIME  
AGENT DESCRIPTION FORM

NAME OF AGENT: CAGE

Date: 1 May 1948

Case Officer: [ ]

I. INTELLIGENCE VALUE

A. Field covered now; value of such coverage

Is presently inactive as a result of our steps to protect him as a long range prospect and not to compromise him with his present CDU colleagues, all of whom are under Soviet pressure. He does keep us advised from time to time on his standing, and the present contact is loose and irregular, the primary goal being to protect his security. His information is high-level political and of a reliable and factual nature.

B. Fall Pastime field and value

Source has been undecided as to whether he would stay in Berlin in the event of a retreat of Western powers or whether he would leave. He seems to think that under a Soviet-ruled Berlin he would be unmolested if he remained unpolitical and merely carried out his relief work duties. If he did choose to stay, he could be of value to us and should be recontacted. Through his wide circle of trustworthy friends he could offer safe-haven, could be used as a letter drop, and even for supplying positive intelligence.

II. OPERATIONAL CONSIDERATIONS

A. Present cover

1. Employment - at present Director of a large German Relief Organization in Berlin. He is also on the board of directors for the Berlin CDU. He is a principal stockholder on one of Berlin's daily newspapers.
2. Residence circumstances - Subject lives in a 6-room private residence in the suburbs of Berlin with wife, three daughters and maid.
3. Social - Subject lives a rather active social life. He is constantly either visiting or having visitors. He usually reserves Sunday for his family, however, and can generally be contacted on that day without interference of other visitors.

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4. Financial - Subject's income is unknown. It is, however, sufficient to keep his family living in moderately comfortable circumstances.
5. Political - Subject is a leading political figure in Berlin and the Soviet Zone. He is a CDU party member and favors strongly the type of democratic government that exists in the United States. Is an ardent foe of Dictatorship.

B. Estimate of willingness and ability to fill the following roles under FALL PASTIME.

<u>Willingness</u>	<u>Role</u>	<u>Ability</u>
No	Chain head	Can only be "worked" as an individual
Yes	Agent	Excellent and factual
No	Sub-agent	Needs direct contact
Yes	Cut-out	Would be discreet and tactful as cut-out
Yes	Letterdrop	Same as above. Reliable.
Yes	Safe house	For short periods of time
No	Radio station	Probably for a one time temporary emergency setup but not permanently
No	Reception committee	
Yes	Courier	Would be willing if it fitted into his scheme of living and business
No	Sabotage agent	Not qualified

III. TECHNICAL DETAILS CONCERNING RECONTACTING

A. How to contact, i.e., by phone, letter, etc.

Contact preferable in person at his home or office. Subject is very security conscious and suspicious on telephone.

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B. Code word or the like to be used in contacting

In recontacting the code word "Wuppertal" should be used. Ex: "Grüsse von mein Freund Harry aus Wuppertal", etc.

C. Means of investigating Subject before contact

Subject can be checked through the Protestant Church if he has changed location. Preferably through leading church officials.

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